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#### About Confederate Home Charges.

G. W. Turnell, writing Confederate Home notes for the Higginsville Advance, says:

The Kansas City Journal of last Sunday contained a "mess of bosh" from J. N. Crutcher preferring all kinds of charges against Col. J. L. Pace, superintendent of the home, with the exception of a murder charge. His statement was published as having been made to Gov. Herbert S. Hadley, but the governor denies that the said charges were made to him by Crutcher. The newspaper reporter in Jefferson City would not notice him on account of his former actions towards other institutions in the state. If Crutcher can get any consolation out of his newspaper notoriety he is certainly entitled to it, for no one else would care for it. There will be a shaking up of the dry bones of his lieutenants on account of the infamous lies that has been given to the public for the purpose of bringing this institution and its superintendent into disrepute. When Crutcher was pastor of the Christian church in Higginsville he was paid a salary for preaching the gospel once a month, but instead of preaching the gospel his "bosh" was all a tirade of abuse hurled at the old people in the home because they did not accept him as "the great I am" of the country. "Put a beggar on horseback and he will ride to the devil" has at last been verified by the charges published in the Kansas City Journal. Col. Pace is so well known in Missouri for his business ability and his efforts to do all any man could do for the people in his care, that the prominent citizens of this state and good friends of the home know that there is no foundation for the ridiculous charges coming from this man Crutcher. In regard to the charges made made by J. N. Crutcher against this institution, the Kansas City Journal of

last Sunday morning said: "The charges which Mr. Crutcher made were filed with Governor Herbert S. Hadley in Kansas City yesterday afternoon Governor Hadley told Mr. Crutcher they will be investigated at once. Several affidavits and statements from citizens of Higginsville and inmates of the institution were filed with the governor to support the charges." The St. Louis Republic of last Tuesday denied, on good authority, that any charges had been made to the governor. Now this man Crutcher comes to Higginsville and states to a gentleman there that he "had mailed the charges to Governor Hadley and the governor had not yet had time to receive them." These two statements do not fit in together. He "filed the charges with Governor Hadley in Kansas City," and then he "mailed them to him in Jefferson City." Can you entangle the tangled stories?

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#### Why Such a Rumpus?

The strife between congress and President Roosevelt continues and the question is naturally asked why such a rumpus? For some time now one cannot pick up a paper but what something is read about congress and Mr. Roosevelt opposing each other.

Surely congress is not all wrong in this matter. If it is not possible that the President is entirely right and the lawmakers have been antagonizing him just to get even. The country is tired of it all, and it is a good thing his term comes to an end so soon.

Mr. Roosevelt has wielded a strong influence but his popularity is waning and by his own actions he has been the sole cause. If he had respected the rights of others, he would still be as popular as ever. But he has called too many men liars and jumped on more than the number one man can handle. Right or wrong the public in general will be glad when the fourth of March comes.—Lawson Review.

Governor Hadley appears to think he has solved the problem of the Missouri river as a freight transportation waterway, by suggesting the use of small light draught steel bottom towboats and barges. He argues that since the Missouri has more water than the Rhine, all that is needed is just to go ahead and

navigate, never stopping to consider the vast differences in the banks of the two streams, the foreign matter carried, speed of current, etc. Governor Hadley talks like the amateur that he is the matter of the Missouri river. There is no other stream in the world, perhaps, comparable to the Missouri river, with its constantly shifting channel and treacherous sandbars. The Governor is so pleased with his easy solution of a question that has been puzzling the brains of men versed in the ways of the river for half a century or more, that he is going to appoint a commission to put his new-born theories into practical form.—Glasgow Missourian.

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